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Via US Mail and e-mail

Administrator, Michael O. Leavitt
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)
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**Re: Rubber and Plastic Additives (RAPA) Panel,
HPV Chemical Challenge Program Submission
Sodium Dimethyldithiocarbamate (SDMC; CAS no. 128-04-1)
Test Plan & Robust Summaries**

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Dear Administrator Leavitt:

The RAPA Panel of the American Chemistry Council is pleased to submit the attached revised documents to EPA's High Production Volume (HPV) Chemical Challenge Program (Program) to fulfill our commitment for one of the 37 chemicals the RAPA Panel is voluntarily sponsoring in the Program. The RAPA Panel consists of the following member companies: Alco Chemicals; Bayer Polymers LLC; Ciba Specialty Chemicals Corporation; Crompton Corporation; Eliokem, Inc.; Flexsys America L.P.; The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company; The Lubrizol Corporation; Noveon, Inc.; and, R.T. Vanderbilt Company, Inc.

This submission consists of a Test Plan and Robust Summaries for Sodium Dimethyldithiocarbamate (SDMC; CAS no. 128-04-1).

In addition to the *Test Plan*, please also find attached robust summaries contained in IUCLID-formatted documents for SDMC.

This submission is also being sent electronically to the following e-mail addresses:

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If you require additional information, please contact the RAPA Panel's technical contact, Dr. Anne P. LeHuray at (703) 741-5630 or anne_lehuray@americanchemistry.com.

Sincerely yours,

Attachments